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**FORMER FBI EMPLOYEE SENTENCED FOR
GOVERNMENT PROPERTY THEFT**

BALTIMORE, Maryland - Thomas M. DiBiagio, United States Attorney for the District of Maryland, announced today that former Federal Bureau of Investigation employee Robert E. Stull, age 35, of Glen Burnie, Maryland was sentenced today by United States District Judge Andre M. Davis to 1 year and 1 day in prison followed by 3 years of supervised release, and ordered to pay \$70,000 in restitution, for theft of government property.

In a statement of facts previously provided to the court as part of the plea agreement, Stull admitted that between February 1999 and November 2002, he stole numerous items of photographic equipment and supplies – including cameras, camera lenses, film and photographic paper, photo identification systems, video recorders, ink jet printer cartridges, and like items – used by and for other FBI employees, from his work place in the FBI Baltimore Division Field Office. Subsequently, he sold most of these items on eBay. The value of the stolen property exceeded \$70,000.

The case is a result of an investigation by the FBI Baltimore Division Field Office, the Office of the Inspector General for the Department of Justice and the United States Attorney's Office. The case was prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney P. Michael Cunningham.